

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

March 30, 2015



Wildrose Charcoal Kilns, Death Valley, on 3/18/15.

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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

Sewage Release, San Clemente, Orange County (Initial)

On 03/29/15 at 2100 hours, a power failure at a lift station located near Avenida Pico and El Camino Real in San Clemente, Orange County, resulted in the release of an estimated over 10,000 gallons of sewage. The source of the release is a gravity line to the main lift station located underneath a restaurant. Per the City of San Clemente:

- The release was contained as of 0045 hours on 03/30/15.
- According to the business owner, the release started going onto the beach at 2235 hours and an unknown amount of the sewage release may have entered the Pacific Ocean.
- Septic haulers are on site to recover as much of the release as possible and return it to a by-pass main.
- A City of San Clemente employee remains on site to monitor the situation. A reassessment will occur in the morning to determine a more accurate amount released and also if the beach needs to be closed.
- There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs.
- The California State Warning Center conducted all appropriate notifications, including but not limited to local government agencies.
- Cal OES Duty Officers continue to monitor the situation. This report will be updated as information becomes available.

4.0 Magnitude Earthquake near Ludlow, San Bernardino County

On 03/30/15 at 0221 hours, a verified 4.0 magnitude earthquake occurred 8 miles northwest of Ludlow, San Bernardino County. Per San Bernardino County Warning Point, they did not feel the quake and they have not received any reports of damage or injury.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

- No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwwa_bc_cal.php

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

An approaching cold front will spread rain across Del Norte and Humboldt Counties tonight and Tuesday. Limited rainfall is expected over Trinity and Mendocino Counties. Unsettled weather will persist through much of the week north of Cape Mendocino. Colder nighttime lows will lead to the threat of frost across portions of the interior.

Medford Weather:

Today is expected to be the warmest day of the week and may be the warmest day of the next two weeks. Highs today are expected to be 10 to 15 degrees above normal. Tonight through Tuesday a sharp temperature drop is expected as a trough of low pressure pushes in from the Gulf of Alaska. Also on Tuesday, the forecast area can expect gusty winds and light to moderate precipitation with snow levels falling to around 5000 feet. A Freeze Watch has been issued for the Shasta Valley for the possibility of temperatures at or below 30F Wednesday morning.

Reno Weather:

High pressure over the Great Basin will bring one more day of very warm conditions. This ridge will weaken Tuesday as low pressure approaches the West Coast leading to gusty winds and cooler temperatures. As this low moves inland, further cooling is expected Wednesday and Thursday with possible light rain and snow showers.

San Francisco Weather:

Mostly clear and mild weather will continue through today. A dry weather system will sweep into the area beginning Tuesday. This will bring much cooler conditions Tuesday and Wednesday along with locally gusty winds. Temperatures will then warm slightly by the end of the week. Dry weather is forecast at least through Saturday. Rain may develop by late in the weekend.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Warm and fairly dry weather will continue today. Weak weather systems may bring a few intermittent showers to the mountains Tuesday and Wednesday along with cooler temperatures. Another chance of precipitation will be possible next weekend.

Hanford Weather:

Several weak upper level disturbances will brush through the region over the next several days. This will keep temperatures away from extreme highs but most of the area will still be several degrees above average.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Cooler weather is expected early this week due to onshore flow. Night through morning low clouds and fog will be possible along parts of the coast. Gusty northwest to north winds will develop for parts of the area on Tuesday and Wednesday as several moisture starved fronts pass to the north. Well above normal temperatures are expected late in the week as Santa Ana conditions develop.

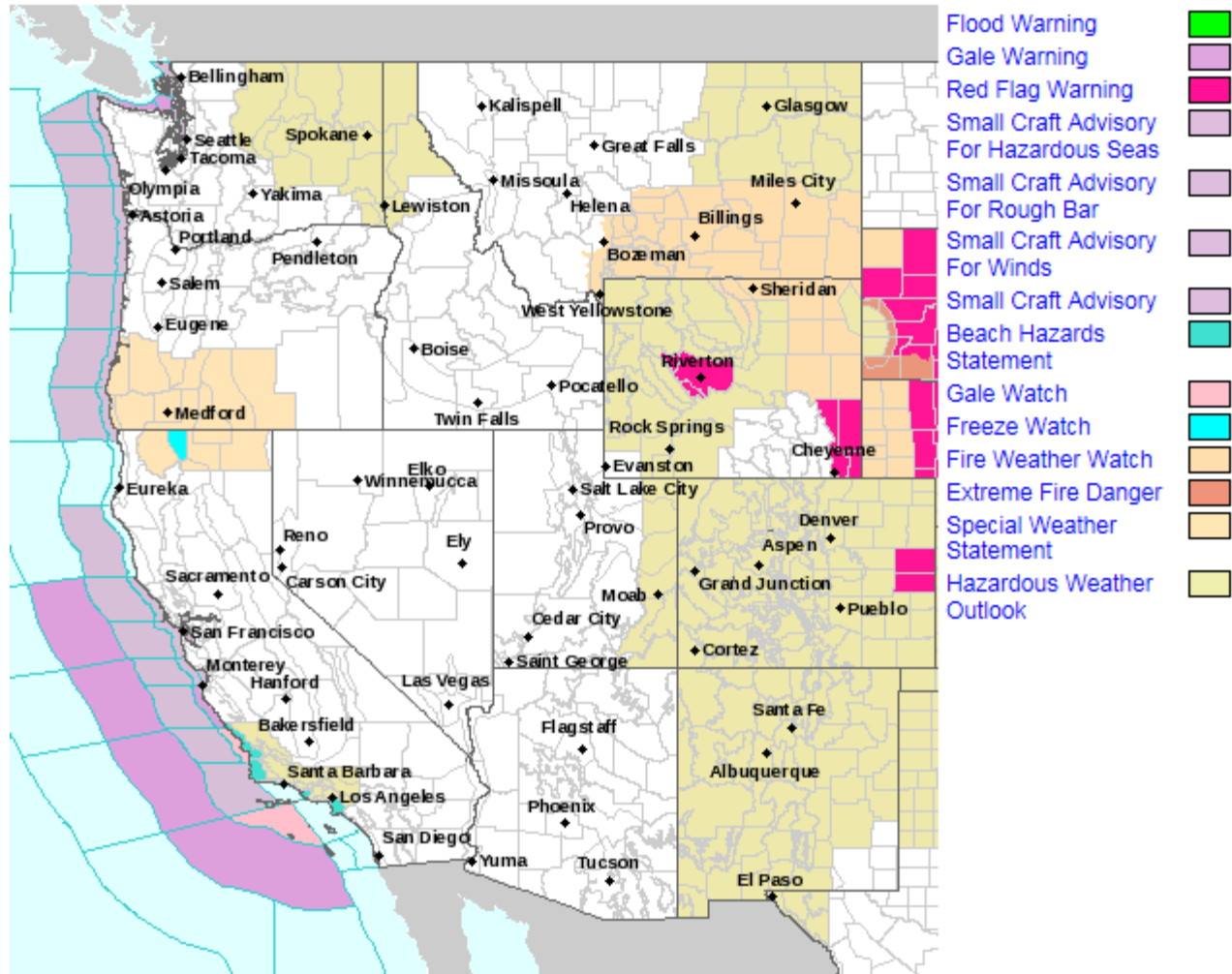
Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

A low pressure system moving inland to the north on Tuesday and a second low pressure system moving inland through California on Wednesday will bring stronger onshore flow into Thursday with night and morning coastal low clouds and fog, inland cooling, and gusty west winds in the mountains and deserts. Offshore flow and high pressure aloft will bring warming on Friday with gusty northeast winds near the coastal foothills. For next weekend, a low pressure system developing over the eastern Pacific will bring a cooling trend.

Southeast California Weather:

An area of weak low pressure will pass south of the area early this week bringing increased cloudiness, but little in the way of cooler temperatures. Expect afternoon highs to warm into the 90s each day through Tuesday. A series of weather disturbances later this week will bring slightly cooler temperatures to the region.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Mar, 30th 2015 at 10:47:22 am MDT

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Round Fire, Mono County

- Site sampling and hazardous materials recovery of the affected properties began 03/14/15. Cal Recycle began debris removal operations 03/23/15.
- Two Recovery personnel have deployed to Mono County to assist with debris removal operations.
- An Applicant's Briefing will be held on 04/03/15 at 1300 hours, at the Lee Vining Community Center, to discuss the eligibility and guidelines of the CDAA program.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a monthly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a bi-weekly basis.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.